

# ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

**HORSE WHIPPING AFFAIR.**—Quite an exciting spectacle was witnessed on the Long Bridge last Sunday. About three weeks ago, as the story goes, a man employed at that bridge took some improper liberties with a little girl six years of age, the daughter of a man living near the end of the bridge, in Washington, who being sick at the time the knowledge of the affair was kept from him. Late last week the uncle of the child heard of the insult, and sought revenge. The father of the child being still sick, the uncle proceeded to a store and purchased a four dollar horse whip, and Sunday morning about 10 o'clock started for the Long Bridge in company with a friend, and finding the man he was looking for, and making him take off his coat, he commenced whipping, and whipped him from there into Washington, and up Maryland avenue until he reached the house of the little girl's father, who came to the door, and being still ignorant of the cause of the assault, remonstrated with his brother. At this juncture the police arrived and arrested the parties, and carried them to the station house, where the case was compromised.

**SOME HONESTY STILL LEFT.**—I these days of prevailing moral obliquity such examples of old time honesty as the following are peculiarly noticeable, and are cheering signs that there is some honesty in the land yet: A lady residing on Prince st. in this city received last week from a gentleman in St. Louis, a check for a considerable sum of money, accompanied with a letter informing her that some property he had lately bought from her had increased so much in value that he thought he had not paid enough for it, and that the check would make up the deficiency. The lady returned the check, with a letter stating that as he had bought the property at her own price she could not consent to receive any more for it than he had at first paid.

**DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN OF GEORGETOWN.**—The Washington Star of yesterday says: Captain John Moore, one of our oldest and most respected citizens, died at his residence on Dumbarton street, Georgetown, Sunday night, in the 87th year of his age. Capt. Moore was born in Prince George's county, Md., in the year 1788. He served with distinction through the war of 1812-15. About fifty years ago he removed to Georgetown, and resided uninterruptedly there until the time of his death. He was extensively interested in the construction of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal.

**FINE CATTLE.**—Among the cattle that arrived here, yesterday, were two of the finest ever seen in this market. They were raised in southwest Virginia, and belong to B. Furr, a well known cattle drover. One of them, a white steer—a fit representative of the Egyptian God—weighs between two thousand five hundred and three thousand pounds. They will remain in Mr. Cat's' yard about a week, and then be sent on to a more northern market.

**STATION HOUSE LODGERS.**—The low temperature of last night induced nineteen "outs in the street" fellows to seek the warm and comfortable sleeping quarters afforded at the station house. Sixteen of them were white and three black, but one of the latter, though a full-blooded African, with a complexion as sable as a raven's wing, was, when admitted, of an ashy hue, owing to the extreme coldness of the weather to which he had been exposed.

**THE WEATHER.**—The weather turned cool yesterday afternoon, and the temperature was so cold last night that ice formed on the gutters and on all the pools in this vicinity, and also in considerable quantities along the shore of the river, and it did not moderate after sunrise this morning, but remained cold all day, making people hug the fires when in the house and fear to go out without warm wrappings.

**DISTURBANCE AT A COLORED BALL.**—The Arlington Socials, a colored organization, gave an entertainment at Good Samaritan Hall, on the Columbian turnpike, in this county, last night, which passed off quietly until about the close of the festivities, when a disturbance occurred, during which one of the attendants was struck and badly hurt by another one named John Bowen.

**THE CHAIN GANG.**—There are now twenty-one prisoners in the jail subject to duty on the chain gang, but owing to the want of shoes and clothing, and to the indisposition of a few of them, only eight were at work on the streets today. Twenty-one men at work on one square at a time could lay a concrete pavement on the whole of King street during the current winter.

**DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT.**—Mr. G. W. Simms, a citizen of Alexandria county, will give a dramatic entertainment at Sarepta Hall, beginning to-morrow night and continuing during the three succeeding nights, with a matinee on Saturday. He will be assisted by his four daughters, aged 13, 11, 9 and 6 years. See notice elsewhere in to-day's Gazette.

**BADLY BURNED.**—A child of a colored man named John Washington, living on north St. Asaph street, was badly burned yesterday afternoon by falling upon a hot stove. Dr. French rendered the necessary surgical assistance, and the patient was improving this morning.

**RAILROAD APPOINTMENTS.**—Col. P. P. Slaughter has been transferred from Gordonsville and appointed station agent of the Midland Railroad at Orange Court House, and Mr. F. B. Peyton has been appointed agent at Gordonsville in place of Col. Slaughter, transferred.

**FESTIVAL.**—The ladies belonging to the congregation of St. Mary's Church met, yesterday afternoon, as stated in the Gazette of that day, and determined to hold a three days' festival, for the benefit of that church, commencing on the night of Tuesday next.

**LAND SALE.**—Green & Wise, land agents, sold on yesterday the tract of land known as the "Clendenning tract," in Fauquier county, Va., near Beaton station, containing 136 acres, to S. S. Shepard, of New York State, for \$5 per acre.

**CLOSING OF CANAL NAVIGATION.**—The water will be drawn off the Alexandria Canal on Friday, the 10th of December, and navigation is suspended for the winter from that date.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The value of the foreign imports, received at this port during the month of October, was \$23,220, and that of domestic exports, during the same period, \$7,190.

To day being St. Andrew's day, appropriate services were held in St. Paul's Church at 8 o'clock, this morning, and will be held in Grace Church at 7 o'clock to-night.

As will be seen by notices elsewhere in to-day's Gazette, the Treasurer will remain in his office from 9 a. m. until 8 p. m. to-morrow, to accommodate those who wish to save five per cent on their State tax bills.

The ladies of the Mount Vernon Association of Richmond, are going to hold a grand centennial ball on the 22d of February, at which all of the dresses are to be in the style of one hundred years ago.

## Death of Col. Terrett.

One by one the gallant men whose deeds are the glory of the Southern arms during the war perish and pass away, leaving to those who succeed a heritage of honor that will grow brighter and brighter with the circling years. In the mad rush of events the memories of noble men are often for a time forgotten by the many, yet the few into the warp and woof of whose lives are interwoven the associations of the march, the camp and the field, retain the recollection of the examples and devotion of their departed comrades.

Among those whose fame is worthy of such perpetuation was Col. George H. Terrett, whose death was chronicled in these columns yesterday, and to-day a meeting of ex-Confederate soldiers was held in the Corporation Court to pass appropriate resolutions of respect to his memory.

Capt. C. W. Wattlew nominated as chairman, Gen. M. D. Corse, who, on taking the chair, explained the object for which the meeting had assembled, and spoke feelingly of the gallant soldier, his departed comrades, as of one who passed quietly from the stirring scenes of war to the retirement of the private station, and whose modesty obscured his merits, which were only to be known to be admired and esteemed.

On motion of Col. Morton Marye, Capt. K. Kemper was appointed Secretary.

Major W. D. Stuart moved that a committee of three be appointed to adopt resolutions of respect to the memory of their deceased comrade.

The motion was adopted and the chair appointed Maj. W. D. Stuart, Col. Geo. Johnston and Capt. Wm. Wattlew, the committee, who after consultation, reported through their chairman, Major Stuart, the following resolutions:

Again we are called upon to mourn the loss of one of our oldest and most honored comrades of arms, one who earned the love and esteem of all who knew him, but more the admiration of that noble command of which he was for a time in the early part of the war, the chief; and one who at the first call of his native State gave up a post of high honor in the United States service and a home of ease and luxury to share with those of Virginia the privations and fatigues of the Confederate soldier. Eternally as a rock in the hour of danger and in the discharge of duty, yet in all the relations of social life, the kind, generous and devoted friend.

In the death of Colonel George H. Terrett we have lost a friend and neighbor, while his family have sustained an irreparable loss. Returning at the close of the war to find his home destroyed and even the traces of the family burial ground wantonly obliterated, yet he indulged in no useless repinings, but putting his hand to the plow earned his daily bread by the sweat of his brow. His dignity of deportment in the hour of misfortune, his patient endurance amid privations and his untiring strategy to repair his shattered fortunes, afford a bright example to the young men of the State.

Deeply sympathizing with his bereaved family, and desirous of placing a tribute of our affectionate remembrance of his virtues on his grave, we resolved, that in the death of Colonel George H. Terrett, we have lost a friend and neighbor, while his family have sustained an irreparable loss. Returning at the close of the war to find his home destroyed and even the traces of the family burial ground wantonly obliterated, yet he indulged in no useless repinings, but putting his hand to the plow earned his daily bread by the sweat of his brow.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the newspapers of this city, and that the secretary send a copy of the resolutions to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, That the newspapers of the cities of Washington, Baltimore and Richmond be requested to publish these proceedings.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted, and the meeting adjourned.

Oysters were plentiful at the dock this morning, and met with slow sales at about fifty cents a bushel.

The arrival of the Manassas train, due yesterday afternoon, was delayed until 2 o'clock this morning by an accident at Front Royal, where the locomotive got off the track.

Mr. John Henry, a resident of south Fairfax street, about 70 years of age, died last night before last, and was buried this afternoon by the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The Mayor has had the obstructions in King street, caused by the stringers of the old street railroad track, removed, and thereby also removed the cause of other suits for damages than the one mentioned in yesterday's Gazette.

## Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30, 11 a. m.

For the Middle States rising, followed by falling barometer, wind veering to Northeast and Southeast, decidedly cold and generally clear weather, possibly succeeded to-night on the Atlantic Coast by snow.

Parties in need of good clothing will save 25 per cent, by patronizing Messrs. I. Hauberg & Son, 615 Pennsylvania avenue, and have their round-trip fare to Washington city paid back to them.

**FREE OF CHARGE.**—Your Druggist will refund your money if Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup does not give you satisfaction and cure your cough.

The peculiar finish of the Elmwood collar makes it thoroughly perspiration proof. All first class furnishing stores sell them.

**ATTENTION, SUN.**—There will be a regular monthly meeting of the Sun Fire Co., No. 2, on Wednesday evening, December 1st, at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as business of great importance will be before the meeting. Geo. B. DETON, Secretary pro tem.

**TREASURER'S NOTICE.**—To accommodate those who wish to SAVE FIVE PER CENT on their State tax bills, I will be at my office, 59 King street, Wednesday, the first of December, from 9 a. m. until 8 p. m.

W. D. CORSE, City Treasurer.

## DANCING ACADEMY.

FOR

MISSES, MASTERS & YOUNG LADIES,

AT HARMONIE HALL,

On Monday and Thursday Afternoons, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

For further particulars call at the Academy on School afternoons. Terms: \$4 per month. Best of city references given.

nov 30-1w Madame L. LOUIS.

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**OLD JAMAICA SPIRITS.** Santa Cruz and New England Rum in store and for sale by

nov 25 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

**SPLIT PEAS.**—new for sale by

oct 8 Corner King and St. Asaph sts.

**FLOUR.**—250 bbls Ocoquan high grade Extra Flour for sale by

aug 13 WASHINGTON & BRO.

**DEW DROP and Double Grape HOLLAND GIN.** a genuine article, for sale by

oct 18 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**SOZODONT.** for cleansing and beautifying the teeth and preserving the gums. For sale by

nov 1 WAKFIELD & HALL.

**STARCH.**—30 boxes Duryea's, Kindford's and Enkenbrecher's Starch just received by

aug 24 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## TELEGRAPH NEWS.

### The Union and Grand Tunnel Mines.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 30.—The reports which have gone abroad from here about the caving in of the Union and Grand Tunnel mines, below Plymouth, are very much exaggerated; in fact, there has been no caving at all. A portion of the roof of the Union fell in, but the houses built over the mines were not disturbed in the least. A crack of several inches in width is the only thing noticeable on the surface. There have been hundreds of mining casualties in this valley much more serious to property, to say nothing of loss of life. The only damage done to the Grand Tunnel mine was caused by the flow of water being diverted into it by the fall of the roof in the Union, and it is in no way serious. Competent persons have offered to put the mine in good order for \$5,000, and men are now working in it regularly. A force of men were set at work to-day by Superintendent Roberts to remove the debris from the Union mine, at which point the principal fall of the roof occurred. The fall was undoubtedly caused by robbing the mines of the pillars, so say all competent engineers and coal operators. The extent of the damage in the Union Mine is not known as yet, but it is thought to be no greater than is caused in the mines throughout the coal regions, every now and then by the fall of a roof.

### The Weather.

MILFORD, Pa., Nov. 30.—The thermometer indicated two degrees above zero, at 7 o'clock this morning. The Delaware river is frozen over.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Navigation on the Delaware and Hudson Canal is closed from Horseshoe to Ellenville, N. Y. All the loaded boats will reach tide water to-day, when the canal will be closed for the season.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 30.—The mercury, last night, indicated 12 degrees. During the night yesterday trees were uprooted, unfinished buildings damaged, and other damage done here and elsewhere.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 30.—The Hudson river is frozen this morning from Hudson to Albany. All the night steamers are behind time, owing to the ice obstruction. The thermometer, this morning, is at zero.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Unprecedented cold weather, for this season, is reported from all sections of New England, North and East of here the mercury ranging from 4 to 14 degrees below zero. At Montpelier, Vt., it was 18 below, and at Bethlehem, N. H., 22 degrees below.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The mercury was 7 degrees above zero here this a. m., showing a fall of 38 degrees within the previous twenty-four hours.

### Charles O'Connor's Illness.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—At midnight Charles O'Connor was still alive and sleeping soundly, but his recovery was considered very uncertain. His medical adviser states that he is affected by paralysis of the stomach. Early yesterday morning he drank a small quantity of beef tea and ate a piece of toast, but up to 7 o'clock in the evening there was no evidence that this slight nourishment had been digested. By the inaction of his stomach he is being starved to death. Mr. O'Connor is at his home in Fort Washington, surrounded by his relatives and many of his personal friends, and at 11 o'clock last night, just before falling asleep, he spoke lucidly to a number of persons at his bedside.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles O'Connor remains in the same condition as yesterday.

### Fires.

COATESVILLE, Pa., Nov. 30.—The large new barn of Wm. Wilson, near this place, was entirely destroyed by fire last night, together with its contents, including two horses and eleven head of cattle. Loss 15,000 dollars; insurance 7,000 dollars. Supposed work of an incendiary.

MELROSE, Mass., Nov. 30.—A fire this morning consumed the Concert Hall block. Boardman's block and another wooden block of stores on Essex street, and the contents of five stores, two club rooms, a billiard hall, concert hall, &c. The loss is estimated at \$70,000.

### Foreign News.

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Prince Gortschakoff has arrived here.

The application of the public prosecutor to the Senate of the State tribunal to indict Count Von Arnim for treason has been granted.

VILLO FRANCA, Nov. 30.—The American squadron sailed from here on Monday for Lisbon.

### Military.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Gov. Gaston has requested the committee of the Fifth Maryland Regiment, who accompanied the late Vice President's remains from Baltimore, to remain and take part in the funeral to-morrow at Natick. The committee have received every attention while here.

### Cuba.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Information has been received here from Cuban sources that the Spanish General Sabas Marin has been twice defeated by the Cuban revolutionists. The second time Marin was himself mortally wounded.

### The Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Stocks active and unsettled. Money 4. Gold 14 1/2. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat shade firmer. Corn a trifle better.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 30.—Va. consolidated 67 1/2. W. Va. 9 1/2. Cotton quiet; middling 12 1/2. Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat quiet and steady; Maryland amber 14 1/2; other grades unchanged. Corn firm for Southern but Western easier; Southern white, old, 63 1/2; do., new, 62 1/2; do., yellow, old, 70; do., new, 63 1/2; Western mixed, old, 73; do., new, 66. Oats dull and unchanged. Rye quiet and steady at 50 1/2. Hay steady, firm and unchanged. Provisions nothing doing. Butter unchanged. Coffee very strong but quiet, business restricted by the firmness of holders; Rio cargoes 18 1/2; Jobbing 19 1/2. Whiskey dull but steady at 17. Sugar firmer and higher at 10 1/2-10 3/4.

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W. D. CORSE, City Treasurer.

## LOST AND FOUND.

**STOLEN OR STRAYED AWAY.**—A WHITE COW, with red spots from the shoulders to the head, long horns and round hole in one ear. A liberal reward will be paid upon her return to No. 35 corner Cameron and Lee streets. nov 30-3t

**A COAL BREASTPIN** was lost yesterday between St. Paul's Church and Duke, on Duke, or on Washington, between Duke and corner streets, for which a suitable reward will be given if brought to this office. [a 29 2t]

## COPARTNERSHIPS.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Nov. 29th, 1875. THE BUSINESS CARRIED ON UNDER the name of "Alexandria Iron Works Manufacturing Company," is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. Jamieson & Collins are alone authorized to sign in settlement.

G. W. JAMIESON. C. H. COLLINS.

**WE WILL CONTINUE OUR BUSINESS** under the name of "Alexandria Iron and Brass Works," Jamieson & Collins, Proprietors. We are prepared to build Steam Engines, and all classes of Machine Work and manufacture all kinds of Iron and Brass Castings.

G. W. JAMIESON. C. H. COLLINS.

## DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of HOOGE & JOHNSTON is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either partner is authorized to sign in settlement.

P. B. HOOGE. B. H. JOHNSTON.

## THE UNDERSIGNED WILL CONTINUE THE GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS, at No. 2 Prince Street.

Alexandria, Nov. 1st, 1875. nov 2

## NEW GOODS.

I have just opened from New York another line of superior BLACK & GRAY SILKS, very cheap. Some of these are the "Cashmere," finish and very handsome.

Also, Long and Square Black Cashmere Shawls, Black Crapes Veils, Black Cashmires, White Flannels, &c.

Some very handsome Crimean and Green Tarrys, for furniture covering and curtains. J. M. STEWART.

**PISOS CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.**—As the season for coughs and colds is now again upon us, we would call the attention of our customers and the public generally to the above invaluable preparation. It has now stood the test of years, and ever since its introduction by us into this section of the country our sales of it have shown a constant and steady increase, bearing testimony to its growing popularity. In bottles of two sizes at 50c and \$1 each, respectively. The trade supplied at prompt rates. sep 21 J. J. JANEY & CO.

**SECURITY!**—Ending no longer your life and property by using inferior quality of coal oil, but have entire security by using C. WEST & SON'S ALADDIN SECURITY OIL, warranted 150 degrees fire test; water white in color; burns brighter, burns longer, and will not explode. Be sure and try it. It burns in all coal oil and kerosene lamps. Per sale by J. J. JANEY & CO., Dealers in Candles, Paints and Oils, 145 King st., Alexandria, Va. nov 29

**COUNTY TAXES FOR 1875.**—The undersigned will be at Ball's 2d. Road on THURSDAY, November 26th, 1875, and on other days at his office, No. 10 Prince street, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., to receive the taxes for Alexandria county. On all bills unpaid by December 1st, a penalty of five per cent. will be added. J. J. JANEY & CO., Alexandria County Treasurer.

## TREASURER'S NOTICE.

The STATE TAX BILLS for 1875 are now in my hands for collection. I will be at my office, 59 KING STREET, daily from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

All bills not paid by the first of December will be turned over to the Collector, with five per cent added. W. D. CORSE, City Treasurer.

## FOUGERA'S READY MADE MUSTARD PLASTERS.

Superior to common mustard plasters, always ready for immediate use, clean and not liable to change, easily transported and applied, so as to be applied to all surfaces. For sale by

WARFIELD & HALL, 44 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

## BLANKETS, FLANNELS, &c.—AUC-

**BITION PURCHASE.**—November 22nd.—We receive and offer for sale an auction purchase of Bad Blankets as cheap as ever sold in any market. D. F. BARNES, No. 101 King street, Alexandria, Va. nov 22

## BAKERS' PREMIUM BITTERS.

A permanent cure for Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility and all diseases caused by a disordered state of the liver or stomach. Just received a fresh supply at

WARFIELD & HALL'S, 44 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

## THORN'S INFALLIBLE OINTMENT.

WILL CURE SCROFULA, RING WORMS, ERYSIPELAS, BARBERS' ITCH, Or any other eruption of the skin. Just received and for sale by

je 19 WARFIELD & HALL.

## TEAS—Gunpowder, Oolong, Japan and English Breakfast Tea for sale by

sep 7 W. A. JOHNSON, 44 corner Pitt and Queen sts.

## RAISINS, Currants and Olives, Gelatin and Flavoring Extracts, Cooking Wines and Bradiers, for sale by

nov 23 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

## OLD PORT, SHERRY and MADEIRA

Gins, in store and for sale by

nov 23 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

## WHITE'S TOOTH POWDER.

—sold by the bottle or in any quantity to suit the purchaser at

WARFIELD & HALL'S, 44 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

## PICKLES, Chow-Chow, Pepper Sauce, Worcestershire Sauce, Olives, &c., for sale by

sep 8 W. A. JOHNSON, 44 corner Pitt and Queen sts.

## HAT SCARF in all the desirable shades.

Also a full line of Windsor and Leno Hats, at

At FERGUSON & BROS., 96 King street.

## CUCUMBER PICKLES and MIXED do

by the gallon. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## BENSON'S CAPSICUM POROUS PLASTERS,

best in use, just received and for sale by

nov 20 J. J. JANEY & CO.

## IRON WOOD PENCILS, for stone cutters' use, for sale by

nov 20 J. J. JANEY & CO.

## NEW NO. 1 MACKEREL, prime, received

day by

sep 14 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## LUCCA OIL, SALAD DRESSING, and

Worcestershire Sauce.

oct 25 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## CIDER—Sweet and Champagne Cider re-

ceived to day by

nov 23 R. B. LAWSON & CO.

## DUFFEY'S SWEET CIDER for sale by

nov 22 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

## NEW RAISINS and PRUNES just received

by [nov 10] J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## CAPE COD CRANBERRIES received to-

day by [nov 16] J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## DRIED SHAKER CORN for sale by

nov 22 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

**CHEAP SUGARS** for sale by

nov 18 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

**PRIME LEMONS** received to day by

nov 16 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

## AMUSEMENTS.

G. W. M. SIMMS, late of Albemarle, now SHAKESPEAREAN READINGS at SAREPTA